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Description: ff. i + 116 + ii - Eighteenth century. Edges gilt. Green goatskin gold-tooled, with a brick-red label. - Presented to Yale in 1943 by Louis M. Rabinowitz. - Shailor, B. Catalogue of Medieval and Renaissance Manuscripts in the Beinecke Rare Book and Manuscript Library, MS 280.

Notes: -Manuscript on parchment (monastic, furry) of Josephus, De bello Judaico, translated into Latin by Hegesippus.

Number of Parts: 1 - *Number of Images Available:* 0

Direct Link: http://ds.lib.berkeley.edu/BeineckeMS280_47

Language: Latin *Country:* France *Century:* 12th

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Part 1:

Description: - parchment - 289 x 214 (230 x 161) mm.

Country: France

Region: France

Assigned Date: [between 1125 and 1150]

Dated by scribe: No

Document: No

Cardinal point:

City:

Searchable Date Range: 1125 - 1150

Inscribed Date:

Number of Scribes:

Script: Written by a single scribe in elegant French minuscule. Marginalia, including "Nota" marks, by several later hands.

Notes: Good pen-drawn initial for Book 1 (f. 2v), 12-line, in brown, with vigorous foliage swirls, modelled with fine striations, against a bright, multicolored (green, blue, red, maroon) panelled ground; for the Prologue and Books 2-5 (ff. 2r, 37r, 52r, 67v, and 82v), 7- or 5-line initials, in red, blue, green, and light brown with delicate, stylized foliage (f. 2r: also with two stylized heads). On f. 77v, a marginal drawing in red ink of a man pointing to text with a note (13th century) in brown ink "Nota de iniquo Symone.". Rubrics throughout. Binding: Eighteenth century. Edges gilt. Green goatskin gold-tooled, with a brick-red label.

Number of Texts: 1

Text 1:

Author: Josephus, Flavius.

Other Associate: Hegesippus Saint d. ca. 180.

Title: De bello Judaico.

Subjects: Josephus, Flavius.; Illumination of books and manuscripts, Medieval.; Jews--History--168 B.C.-135 A.D.; Manuscripts, Medieval--Connecticut--New Haven.;

Language(s): Latin